Attachment 5
Keypad Polling Results from Students

As climate change intensifies which impact worries you most in our region? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Harm to life and property from storms, flooding	25%
Insufficient water supply	23%
Threats to regional agriculture, biodiversity	19%
Effect of extreme heat on health	10%
More intense impacts for vulnerable residents	8%
I'm not worried	13%
Other	2%
Totals	100%

What is the biggest barrier to action on climate issues? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Doubt that climate change is real	20%
The issue is too complex and abstract	10%
Lack of urgency due to competing priorities	29%
Limited understanding	13%
People don't know what they can do about it	17%
Other	11%
Totals	100%

Which 2 of our regional systems are the most important to protect from climate impacts? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	

	Responses
	Percent
Roads, bridges, and public transit	9%
Energy supply and distribution network	17%
Hospitals and emergency services	17%
Natural resources and open spaces	16%
Infrastructure for water supply and stormwater	10%
Our sources of water	16%
Food supply	12%
Other	2%
Totals	100%

What are the 3 biggest benefits of more walkable communities? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent
Healthier residents	20%
The ability to live car-free	12%
More social interaction	13%
Lower emissions mean less pollution	24%
Transportation costs less	17%
More economic development in those places	11%
Other	4%
Totals	100%

What type of housing does your community need most? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Housing for residents at all income levels	37%
Housing for middle-income households	10%
Housing for lower-income households	10%

Housing for families	17%
Housing for young professionals	6%
Housing for a specific group	5%
We don't need more housing types	9%
Other	6%
Totals	100%

What's your top concern about denser, more walkable neighborhoods? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
I'm not concerned	20%
Changes to neighborhood character	19%
More traffic and parking hassles	9%
More stress on schools	12%
Increased costs to residents	29%
Other	12%
Totals	100%

How comfortable are you with autonomous vehicles? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent
Very – can't happen soon enough	14%
Somewhat – they need more testing	33%
Not at all	12%
Will always prefer to drive my own car	29%
Other	13%
Totals	100%

If fewer people own cars, we will need to invest in public transit. Which should be our top 2 priorities? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	

	Responses
	Percent
New bus/rail routes and extended rail lines	21%
Service later at night	7%
Shorter wait times	11%
More reliable service	17%
Faster travel (such as bus express lanes)	19%
Easier transfers and connections	11%
More comfortable vehicles and stations	8%
Other	7%
Totals	100%

Where would you choose to live in the future? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
An urban neighborhood	28%
A walkable suburban community	31%
A suburban subdivision	15%
A small town	9%
A rural area	8%
Other	8%
Totals	100%

How do you think your community will respond in a future with less federal and state funding? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Cuts in local public spending and services	24%
Higher local taxes and fees	41%
More coordination with other towns	14%
Greater reliance on private sector partnerships	6%

Fight harder for scarce federal and state dollars	10%
Other	4%
Totals	100%

What are your top 2 priorities for public funding? (Assume education, public health, and safety are already priorities.) (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent
Transportation	19%
Sewer and water systems	23%
Flood control	6%
Parks and open space	6%
Housing	24%
Social service programs	18%
Other	5%
Totals	100%

How should we fund the necessary improvements in our region's transportation system (select 2)? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent
Charge drivers (higher gas tax, tolls, fees)	11%
Charge more for parking	9%
Increase sales or property tax	9%
Raise public transit fares	10%
Charge more to bypass congestion	22%
Tax properties that benefit from improvements	27%
Other	12%
Totals	100%

How will technology change jobs in the future? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
More flexibility about when and where people work	18%
Increased productivity	22%
Frequent demands for workers to have new skills	18%
Increased competition for jobs	19%
New opportunities to grow businesses	17%
Other	7%
Totals	100%

Some workers could fall behind as technology transforms the economy. Which strategies could help? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Double-down on education	19%
Connect job training to emerging industries	28%
Strengthen economically disconnected communities	19%
Create new job opportunities	22%
Other	12%
Totals	100%

What does our region need most to enable everyone to succeed in the future economy? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Reliable public transit	2%
High quality affordable education	70%
Continuing job training	5%
More options to work close to home	4%
Grow our existing industries	5%
Easier access to the internet	8%

| Other | 7% |
| Totals | 100% |

Is your community walkable? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Yes	74%
No	8%
Maybe	18%
I don't know	0%
Totals	100%

What will make life good in your 40s (choose 3)? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent
A good education, preperation for a career	15%
A career that is interesting and fun	17%
Train, school, shopping – all close to home	9%
A happy family	22%
Getting around easily	4%
Healthy living in a clean environment	11%
A safe neighborhood	18%
Other	4%
Totals	100%

How do you feel about your future in the Chicago area? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Great!	10%
Good, and I'll help work on it	14%

OK, but I worry about the future	31%
I don't see myself living here	31%
Other	14%
Totals	100%

How did you get to school today? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Bus	33%
Walked	20%
Rode a bike	6%
Rode in a car	29%
Other	11%
Totals	100%

How would you like to get to school? (Multiple Choice)	
	Responses
	Percent
Bus or car	6%
Walk	11%
Ride a bike	4%
Self-driving school shuttle	11%
Boat	19%
Flying car	38%
Other	11%
Totals	100%

How will you want to get around in the future? (Multiple Choice - Multiple Response)	
	Responses
	Percent

Walk or ride future bike	10%
Fly	31%
Bike with electric motor assist	8%
Self-driving car	8%
Shared, automated shuttle	4%
Flying car	9%
Retro car (what we drive now)	14%
Other	16%
Totals	100%